

BUFFALO WELCOMES THE HOSTS IN BLUE

VETERANS BY THE THOUSANDS GO TO THE ENCAMPMENT.

The City is Gaily Decorated—Tents at Camp Jewett Ready for the Old Soldiers—President McKinley Will Present Commander Clarkson With His Badge.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 23.—Several thousand old soldiers arrived Sunday for the G. A. R. encampment, and the holiday crowds were thickly sprinkled with the grizzled wearers of blue uniforms and patriotic badges. Buffalo is in the gayest of holiday attire. Its public buildings are smothered with flags and bunting, and many of them are buried under decorations of the most elaborate description.

The streets are spanned by numerous arches bearing emblems and mottoes to fire the blood of the veterans. Electric lights have been used in bewildering profusion to add to the brilliancy of the affair, and the illuminations will be a great feature. The people of Buffalo have put heart and soul into the work of preparing for the visitors.

Camp Jewett, named in honor of the Mayor of Buffalo, is a city of tents in the beautiful park known as the Froft, from the fact that it overlooks Lake Erie from a slight elevation. Here thousands of old soldiers will bivouac as in days of old. Over each cluster of tents floats a banner with the name of some famous commander or bloody battlefield to stir memories and start reminiscences. There will be countless camp fires and regimental reunions that no newspaper will ever report, but every one of them will be full freighted with happiness for the veterans who gather at them to fight their battles over.

Buffalo has made preparations to entertain 50,000 old soldiers, and the committees estimate about that number will attend. This morning the veterans began to flock in by posts.

Among the later announcements of candidates to succeed Commander-in-Chief Clarkson are the names of John C. Linehan of New Hampshire, George H. Innis of Massachusetts, James A. Sexton of Chicago and J. P. S. Gobin of Pennsylvania.

President to Make the Award.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 23.—Thaddeus S. Clarkson, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R., will be presented at the encampment here on Aug. 26 with a diamond-studded gold badge. President McKinley will make the presentation speech on behalf of the staff and aide-de-camp of Commander Clarkson. The jewel is of perfect workmanship, and is said to be the handsomest and most valuable ever given to a retiring commander-in-chief.

Wheat Duties Will Remain.

Paris, Aug. 23.—The Eclair and other papers say that official circles regard it as useless to suppress the import duty on wheat, and assert that Mr. Meline, the premier, has made no special declaration on the subject. The Temps says he has given the matter close study, but at the ministry of agriculture, which does not appear to share the excitement of the newspapers, there is no disposition either to suppress or to lower the duties on cereals. The Republique Francaise says it learns that the government has resolved not to accede to the demands for the abolition of the duties.

Filling the Strikers' Places.

Flemington, W. Va., Aug. 23.—The Gates Mining Company, whose property is located about a mile east of this village, brought in twenty Slavs Sunday afternoon, with whom it is intended to resume operations. It is reported another squad of the foreigners will reach here on Tuesday. The arrival of these men created excitement among the strikers, and at a large meeting it was unanimously resolved to visit the mine in a body and try to induce the new men to return to Pennsylvania. There was great bitterness expressed by the strikers in their speeches, and the indications favor an outbreak.

Excursionists in a Wreck.

Hammond, Ind., Aug. 23.—A Hammond picnic train was wrecked Sunday night near Riverdale, Ill. Three men were seriously hurt. A number of other persons were more or less bruised, and the 500 excursionists all shaken up and frightened. The train crew pronounced the wreck the work of some fiend, who deliberately threw the switch to wreck the train. The train was going at a slow rate of speed, and to this is due the fortunate fact that no lives were lost.

Heavy Rains in India.

London, Aug. 23.—The Times correspondent at Simla says that good rains have fallen everywhere throughout India except in the districts of Bombay and Deccan, and the crops promise to be exceptionally large. The numbers on the relief list are steadily diminishing, and evidences of famine are rapidly disappearing.

Threw In Their Diamond Rings.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 23.—At the close of the Christian Alliance convention Sunday evening a collection for missions was taken, and \$11,000 was contributed within a few minutes, making \$14,000 in all. Several ladies threw diamond rings into the collection boxes, and many men did the same with their gold watches and jewelry.

FIVE CHILDREN DROWNED.

Raft Capsized and Twenty-One Are Thrown Into Water.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 23.—Five children were drowned in the harbor Sunday afternoon by the capsizing of a float. The dead are:

ALBERT DRISCOLL, aged 8.
GERTIE HARVEY, aged 11.
JACK BETHEL, aged 10.
Two others, names unknown.
The bodies of the first three were recovered. Sunday afternoon, twenty-one children, boys and girls ranging from 8 to 13, crowded on a raft, intending to go bathing in the breakwater. Halfway across the channel, where the water is very deep the raft capsized and all the children were thrown into the water. There were many boats in the neighborhood and these were quickly at the scene of the accident. All of the children were rescued except five.

SYNOD ADJOURNS.

Lutherans Close a Successful Meeting at Watertown, Wis.

Watertown, Wis., Aug. 23.—The general Evangelical Lutheran synod, which has been in session here four days, adjourned to-day. The synod covers the states of Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan, part of North and South Dakota and Nebraska. The conference was organized at Milwaukee in 1892. The synod consists of 256 pastors, 445 church organizations, 23,009 church members privileged to vote, and 116,516 communicants. There are 228 parochial schools, 109 teachers and 12,009 children. Wisconsin leads in the number of churches by 320, Minnesota with 109 and Michigan with 16. In the last two years \$71,556.80 was received for benevolent purposes, of which \$19,616.30 was expended in supporting the different colleges and seminaries.

Union Soon to Come.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 23.—The ninth annual convention of the Young People's Christian Union of the United Presbyterian Church closed Sunday evening. The delegates feel that a long step toward the union of the United Presbyterian Church and the Associate Reformed Church was taken when the resolutions providing for the amalgamation of the young people's societies were passed. It is believed that the union of the northern and southern churches now will not long be delayed. The union of the societies cannot be officially recognized until it is approved by the general assembly.

Shoots the Probate Judge.

Woodstock, Vt., Aug. 23.—Thomas C. Seaver, judge of probate for Windsor county, was shot Sunday morning by William W. Lawrence while standing on the piazza of his residence. The ball penetrated his right lung, lodging under the shoulder blade. The attending physician thinks the wounded man will recover. Lawrence surrendered himself to the sheriff after the shooting and was lodged in jail. The attempted murder was the result of an old feud.

One Bank Robber Killed.

Canton, Ohio, Aug. 23.—An attempt was made by four men early Sunday morning to rob the Savings Deposit Bank. As a result one of the robbers lies dead in a morgue. The other three escaped. The dead man has not been identified. The bank is one of the oldest and most substantial in the city. It is located on the public square, within a stone's throw of the court house and two blocks from the police station.

Car Collides With a Tally-Ho.

New York, Aug. 23.—A tally-ho coach carrying a number of members of the John Palmer Association of Brooklyn and their friends was run into at Coney Island Sunday night by a trolley car and wrecked. Fifteen of the occupants of the coach were injured. Anna Drisler, of Flatbush, and William Gruffy, of Brooklyn, the driver of the coach, are believed to be fatally hurt.

Big Fire Near Paulsboro, N. J.

Woodbury, N. J., Aug. 23.—The main building of the J. H. Thomas & Sons company's fertilizer manufacturing plant, on Mantua creek, near Paulsboro, was burned Sunday. The loss is estimated at \$250,000, upon which there is about \$100,000 insurance. The building covered three acres, and contained expensive machinery. The fire is supposed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion.

Would Renew the War.

Athens, Aug. 23.—A meeting of over 3,000 people held here Sunday adopted an address to King George, urging him and the government to reject the proposed peace treaty between Greece and Turkey and to resume the hostilities which were interrupted by the truce. The entire press, however, and a great majority of the public of Athens condemn the agitation for a resumption of the war.

Man, Wife and Child Killed.

Warsaw, Ind., Aug. 23.—George Sherrburne, wife and young child were struck and instantly killed by the limited express on the Nickel Plate line near Kinsey, this county. They were driving across the track.

Grants Reciprocity to Belgium.

London, Aug. 23.—A dispatch to the Times from Brussels says the official Monitor announces that Great Britain has granted to Belgium products the same privileges of entering Canada that have been already granted to those of Germany.

ACCUSE THREE MEN OF KILLING BANKER

CASHIER OF A MICHIGAN BANK KILLED AT HIS POST.

Affair Wrapped in Mystery—Before Breathing His Last the Fatally Wounded Banker of Shepherd, Mich., Names Three Men Who Robbed the Bank—No Arrests Made

Shepherd, Mich., Aug. 23.—Elmer E. Struble, cashier of the Farmers' bank of this village, was shot at 5 o'clock Saturday morning by three robbers, who, after shooting him, engaged with him in a hand-to-hand struggle, finally beating him into insensibility. Then they looted the vault, taking all the available cash, amounting to about \$1,000, ran out, jumped into a buggy and quickly drove away. Cashier Struble died a few hours later.

It is hinted that the struggle was not only for the cash in the vaults, but that the books were also wanted by the robbers, for what purpose, however, is not known. It is also said that the robbers were not professionals, but men who knew the man they murdered and were considered respectable, law-abiding citizens. All the murderers are alleged to be residents of Isabella county, where this village is located. One of them is said to be at his home now in Mount Pleasant.

The injured man was not discovered until 6 o'clock, when an early riser happened to look in and discovered the disordered condition of the office. Struble was lying in a pool of blood and was still semi-conscious. He revived, however, at 10:30 o'clock, half an hour before he died, and made an ante-mortem statement to Prosecuting Attorney McNamara, Justice R. Wellman and Deputy Sheriff Estee, which was reduced to writing. In this statement he declared that there were three of his murderers and gave their names. All are residents of Isabella county, and are men of respectability. The officers positively refuse to make public the names.

WHY ARRESTS ARE NOT MADE.

Men Accused by Cashier Struble Believed to Be Innocent.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 23.—A special from Mount Pleasant, Mich., states that notwithstanding that Elmer E. Struble, the murdered cashier of the Farmers' bank, in his ante-mortem statement Saturday gave the names of three men who he says shot him and stole the money and the records from the vault, there have as yet been no arrests. Until more evidence is discovered it is not likely that there will be. A good many people of Mount Pleasant and the surrounding towns, who are discussing little else than the murder and the robbery, are criticising the officers for not taking the three persons named into custody, but to those who understand the situation the course that has been taken does not appear unreasonable. In the first place it has been ascertained that two of the three men were many miles from Shepherd Friday night, and one of the two was sick. The third was in Mount Pleasant, which is ten miles' drive from Shepherd.

Whoever the murderers were there is but one conviction in the community, and that is that they were men who had a motive in destroying the books. Ordinary burglars would have no motive in carrying away from 30 to 50 pounds of books of account worth only their weight in old paper to any one not interested in the affairs of the bank. The exact amount of money taken with the books is not known. John F. Ryan, the owner of the bank, and lately cashier and vice-president of the insolvent People's bank of Mount Pleasant, says it was less than \$2,000. There is great excitement among the people at Shepherd and at Mount Pleasant, and lynching is freely talked by many. It is thought officers would not dare to make arrests at this hour, as they could not protect murderers against the summary vengeance of the people.

The prosecuting attorney claims that Cashier Struble, a few minutes before his death, gave him the names of three men whom he positively identified as among his assailants. They are all well-known residents of Isabella county and are depositors at the Shepherd bank.

Robbers Pursued by posse.

Granite, Col., Aug. 23.—A messenger and armed guard, carrying the weekly clean-up of the Twin Lake Placer company from the office to town for shipment, were stopped by two men and compelled to deliver the gold retort, valued between \$4,000 and \$5,000. The robbers took their arms and started up the mountain side. The guard ran back to the office, secured a rifle and fired several shots at the robbers, who returned the fire. None of the shots took effect. A large posse is in pursuit of the robbers.

Swept Over Niagara Falls.

Buffalo, Aug. 23.—A little sailboat drifted out into the Niagara river Sunday afternoon close to Chippewa creek, which is two miles above the American falls. Three unknown men were in the boat. From Dufferin Park to the edge of the great cataract the shores were lined with people, 30,000 extra visitors having been laid down at the falls by the Grand Army excursionists.

STRIKERS TO TRY INJUNCTION PLANS

LEGAL PROCEEDINGS ON THEIR PART DISCUSSED.

To Keep Out New Miners—Judge Okey Johnson, of West Virginia Law School Would Prohibit Operators Employing New Men to Replace Strikers—Hurt in a Riot

Fairmont, W. Va., Aug. 23.—It is alleged by J. W. Rea, president of the Painters and Decorators' Union that Judge Okey Johnson, dean of the law school of the West Virginia university, and for years a central figure in West Virginia legal circles, has asserted that the striking miners can secure an injunction against the operators, prohibiting them from employing new men in the places of the strikers. Mr. Rea does not go into details as to the grounds, decisions and legal technicalities upon which Judge Johnson bases opinion, but he declares that the judge believes such an injunction will hold, and that no court can overrule the arguments that would be presented in its favor.

Gov. Fleming says there is no such law, and that it is all bosh.

WOULD USE FORCE.

Hot Resolution Passed by the Denver Trade and Labor Assembly.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 23.—The Denver Trades and Labor assembly Sunday adopted sensational resolutions regarding the great coal strike. After caustic reference to the growing tendency toward "government by injunction" and the "usurpation of highways by the hirelings of capital," the resolutions say:

"Resolved, That we believe the time is near when peaceful methods on the part of outraged labor must give place to forcible resistance of armed capital, even though badged with the venal and corrupt authority of plutocratic judges;

"Resolved, That we hereby place ourselves on record as being to the last extreme against tolerating the present or any other attempt to abridge any of the rights, privileges and liberties of free men."

The resolutions then pledge the assembly in advance to abide by the decision of the St. Louis conference, and call for a mass meeting to be held in Denver the present week to take action on the question of "government by injunction."

Fight Among Miners.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 23.—Nine men were seriously injured Sunday afternoon in a riot that occurred among the strikers at the Unity, near the mines of the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company. Two of them cannot recover, and the others are all in serious condition. The shooting grew out of an attempt of the miners who are still at work in the Oak Hill mines for the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company to get some of the foreigners and negroes who are striking to go back to work.

Does Not Expect Settlement.

Columbus, Ohio, Aug. 23.—President Ratchford and Secretary Pearce of the United Mine Workers left this city for Pittsburg Sunday night, where they will attend a conference of local operators and miners to-day, which has been arranged by President Dolan of the Pittsburg miners. Mr. Ratchford said before leaving that the conference was on too small a scale to result in a settlement of the strike, but it might lead to a larger one that could settle it.

Will Not Go to Work.

Bloomington, Ill., Aug. 23.—The non-union men among the coal strikers held a meeting Sunday, attended by seventy-five men, to consider the advisability of returning to work. The miners were addressed by Manager Graham of the coal company, who urged the men to return to work. A vote was taken on the proposition and but two votes were cast for it. The feeling is general, however, that a break will soon be made.

Majority Object to Fusion.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 23.—The county conventions of the Populists of Nebraska to select delegates to the triangular state convention of the three silver parties Sept. 1 were held Saturday night in all the counties of the state. The returns show a majority of delegates opposed to fusion.

Convicted Man Is Lynched.

Lexington, Ky., Aug. 23.—Caney Sullivan was convicted at Williamsburg Saturday and sentenced to twenty-two years' imprisonment for assaulting his sister-in-law. At night Sullivan was taken from jail by a mob and hanged to a tree.

Says Mrs. Porter Is Innocent.

Kewanee, Ill., Aug. 23.—The jury in the Porter case, wherein Mrs. Porter was being tried for the murder of her husband, has rendered a verdict of not guilty. It is the first case in the history of Henry county where a woman was tried on such a charge.

To Prohibit Exporting.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 23.—Word has been received at this port that the Russian government is meditating the promulgation of a decree prohibiting the export of wheat, owing to the small crops in southern Russia, and this report is causing some uneasiness to those interested.

THE BASEBALL REPORT.

Standing of the Clubs in the Various Leagues.

Boston made it three straight from Pittsburgh Saturday, after a close finish. The bean-eaters got six runs in the last inning, and all friends of Baltimore think that the Pirates "laid down." The three victories, with Baltimore's poor showing against Cleveland, gives Seale's men a good lead once more. New York is fighting hard for a chance at the Temple cup, and stranger things have happened. Philadelphia took two from Cincinnati in the series just closed, much to the disgust of the Redmen. This week Philadelphia plays St. Louis, which ought to furnish royal sport for the Quaker fans.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	69	31	.690
Baltimore	64	32	.667
Cincinnati	61	34	.642
New York	59	37	.615
Cleveland	52	45	.536
Chicago	49	53	.480
Pittsburg	43	54	.443
Louisville	44	57	.436
Philadelphia	44	58	.431
Brooklyn	40	58	.408
Washington	40	58	.408
St. Louis	26	74	.260

No games were played yesterday.

Games to-day: Chicago at Baltimore, Cincinnati at Washington, Louisville at Boston, Pittsburg at Brooklyn, St. Louis at Philadelphia, Cleveland at New York.

Western League.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis	74	29	.718
Columbus	64	38	.627
St. Paul	67	42	.615
Milwaukee	66	42	.611
Detroit	54	54	.500
Minneapolis	37	73	.336
Kansas City	35	77	.313
Grand Rapids	32	74	.302
At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 15;			
Grand Rapids, 4. Minneapolis, 19;			
Grand Rapids, 2.			
At Kansas City—Indianapolis, 5;			
Kansas City, 1. Indianapolis, 4; Kan-			
sas City, 3.			
At Milwaukee—Columbus, 6; Milwau-			
kee, 3. Milwaukee, 12; Columbus, 3.			
At St. Paul—Detroit, 13; St. Paul, 12.			

Western Association.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Joseph	64	33	.660
Cedar Rapids	63	34	.649
Rockford	49	48	.505
Des Moines	48	48	.500
Quincy	46	52	.469
Dubuque	42	53	.442
Peoria	41	55	.432
Burlington	33	63	.344
At Dubuque—Quincy, 3; Dubuque, 2.			
At Cedar Rapids—Cedar Rapids, 7;			
Burlington, 2.			
At Peoria—Des Moines, 4; Peoria, 3.			
At Rockford—Rockford, 4; St. Jo-			
seph, 3.			

Star Pointer the Victor.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—Star Pointer beat Joe Patchen for the third time at Washington park Saturday, and, as Patchen has been able to win but one of their four encounters, there can be but little doubt at present as to the better horse of the two. Never before was such a spectacle witnessed as in the first heat of Saturday's race, when the two stallions finished so close together that only the judges could separate them, in the record time, for a first heat, of 2:02. Twice before has this time been beaten in a race, but never in a first heat, and in each of these faster heats—both of which were paced in 2:01½—the verdict was "won by a length." Time by quarters: First heat, 30½, 1:00, 1:32½, 2:02; second heat, 30, 1:00¾, 1:32½, 2:04¼; third heat, 30½, 1:02, 1:33½, 2:04.

Double Murder and Suicide.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 23.—J. B. Rich, a young white man, shot and killed his wife at the home of her mother in East Nashville. He then killed his brother-in-law, shooting him twice. Then he left the house, and while he was gone his wife, who was expecting to die, Rich a week ago fled, died. Rich was charged with the killing of his wife, and the killing of his brother-in-law, and the suicide of his wife. He was charged with the killing of his wife, and the killing of his brother-in-law, and the suicide of his wife.

More Gold Found in California.

Carrville, Cal., Aug. 23.—George A. Noonan, a prospector, claims to have discovered a wonderfully rich ledge at the head of Hickory creek. This is above where Murphy and Burgess found their good prospects. Noonan came in here two weeks ago and prospected around Hickory gulch. He found so much "float" that he followed it up, resulting in the discovery Sunday morning. On either side of the place where he claims to have found this ledge are rich diggings.

Great Strike Settled.

London, Aug. 23.—The Daily Chronicle announces the settlement of the long-pending strike in the famous slate quarries of Lord Penrhyn, in Wales. The men have won a complete victory, Lord Penrhyn conceding them the full right to combine.

France May Feel Slighted.

London, Aug. 23.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times says that the Russian officers to be attached to the staff of M. Faure during his visit will be of lower rank than those who were attached to Emperor William, but there will be more of them.

MINE STRIKE OFF UNTIL LATER DAY

ISHPEMING WORKERS DECIDE TO ACT CAUTIOUSLY.

Some of the Men There and at Negaunee Will Not Go Out Unless Everything Looks Favorable as They Do Not Wish to Repeat Old Experiences.

Ishpeming, Aug. 23.—[Special]—Workers here and at Negaunee did not strike today as was expected. It was decided to hold off another week and consider matters. Many of the men are opposed to going out and say they will not endure the hardships of two years ago, when they finally had to agree to the company's terms.

Homesteader Shot Head Sawyer

Crystal Falls, Wis., Aug. 23.—Barney Morgan, an Atkinson homesteader, this morning shot the head sawyer for the Metropolitan Lumber Company, but for what reason is not known. The company has been having trouble with the homesteaders of late and recently the homesteaders dynamited a dam near the works. Morgan has not yet been arrested.

SLAYER OF ABELLE INSANE.

Edward Parker Deacon Is Committed to a Hospital.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 23.—Edward Parker Deacon was on Sunday committed to the McLean hospital at Waverly insane. He belongs to an old and distinguished family of this city. On Feb. 17, 1892, he killed Emilie Abeille in Mrs. Deacon's apartments at Cannes, France.

Mr. Deacon came to Boston on Thursday last from Narragansett Pier. On Thursday night he grew violently insane, and his nurse and valet, who accompanied him, began to realize that he was demented. Finally it was thought advisable to send Mr. Deacon to McLean hospital as a precautionary measure. When there he quieted down and appeared contented. He looked haggard and worn and seemed but a shadow of his former self.

To Enlarge the Treadwell Mine.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 23.—With several millions more in sight the principal Treadwell mine on Douglass island, Alaska, is soon to have the largest stamp mill in the world. It has been decided to double the capacity of the plant

EPWORTH LEAGUERS
FINISH THE WORK

DISTRICT CONVENTION CLOS-
ED LAST EVENING.

Meeting Has Been Both Pleasant and Profitable and the Delegates Were Pleased With Janesville—Rev. E. H. Pence on Simeon's Prophecy—Rev. Spinney at Baptist Church.

The Epworth League convention came to a close with Sunday evening's session at Court Street M. E. church. Saturday evening's session opened with a song service after which W. W. Cooper, of Kenosha, state president, spoke very briefly to the convention in the interests of the "Missionary Spoke in the Epworth Wheel," a small book in the League reading course.

Miss Downey had charge of the evening service and her subject was "Miniature Gods."

After the service W. W. Cooper met the new cabinet for a few minutes to discuss future work.

The League love feast and sacrament opened Sunday morning's meeting. Rev. W. P. Leek, of Clinton preached the anniversary sermon.

The afternoon session opened with a platform service, addresses being made as follows:

"The Coming of the Kingdom," Miss Dora Adron, Milwaukee.

"World's Greatest Need," W. W. Cooper, Kenosha.

"The Highway—Obedience," Miss Anna Downey, Evanston.

In the evening the closing sermon was delivered by Miss Anna Downey, and at the conclusion, farewells were said. The meeting has been a very pleasant as well as very profitable one, and the delegates were all much pleased with Janesville and the ways of the people.

REV. E. H. PENCE PREACHES OF SIMEON
Pastor of the Presbyterian Church Tells of the Prophecy.

The sermon of Rev. E. H. Pence yesterday morning was founded upon Simeon's words of prophecy concerning Jesus when Jesus was taken by his parents into the temple to be blessed. He spoke in part as follows:

Every life stands for something. We want to inquire of our own humanity of what it is capable, and into what it may be developed. We may get from the lips of this Godly man just some little key to human life and by it understand our own self and our neighbor better.

There was nothing in this scene to inspire such a thought in the mind of Simeon or any other man, that some day history was going to hinge upon the life of this babe in the arms of Mary, but there was one man in the temple who looked upon the soul of this babe and saw God there, and saw the capacity for a divine mission.

Simeon said that Jesus should stand for the fall and rising of many, and he should be a revealer of hearts. Have you ever read your Bible just to study how this was fulfilled? Just notice a few instances. For instance, Nicodemus coming in the night, his mind like the shadows in which he came, and Jesus just in a few words opens up to that man the utter shallowness of his thinking. And pressing through Samaria, he spoke just a few words to the woman at the well, and all the sinfulness of her heart rose before her even as it rose before the eyes of Jesus, and she went from that well a new woman in the spirit of Almighty God.

It costs something to be a Christian. It costs the suffering of sympathy between our hearts and that of Christ. Every true Christian knows something of the feeling in Jesus' heart that day when he cried, "It is finished."

Simeon saw in this babe the opportunity for God to come down and live on the earth, and in the marvelous power to exercise his marvelous personality, to hurl into the world's history like a new pivot upon which its door should hinge. So every mother may look forward to that time when her child in the life which is given up to God may give that infinite Christ one more opportunity to live upon the earth in the Christ likeness that shall have something of the redeeming power which Christ died to attain.

Col. E. O. Kimberly sang both morning and evening.

The Christian Endeavor society held a most interesting meeting led by Mamie Mount. Numerous quotations from Miss Downey showed that the Endeavorers had been attending the Epworth League Convention, and enjoying the good things there spoken. The topic for the Thursday evening prayer meeting is "The Forms of Christ's Appearances."

The Christian Endeavor society has planned a unique social to be held in the church parlors Wednesday evening. It will be in the form of a mock expedition to the Klondike.

The bible school will hold its annual picnic at Crystal Springs Park Friday afternoon. Free to members of the church and congregation. Boats leave at 2, 2:30 and 5 p. m.

REV. (W. A. SPINNEY'S SERMON
Goodly Congregation Heard Him at the Baptist Church.

A goodly congregation greeted Rev. W. A. Spinney at the Baptist church yesterday morning. His text for the morning discourse was in Isaiah 26:3, "Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed upon thee, because he trusteth in thee."

The Y. P. S. C. E. was led by Mrs. Campbell.

For his evening subject Mr. Spinney took his text from John 12:32, "And I, if I be lifted up will draw all men unto me."

This language seems like those of a

bold blasphemer. Let us see if they are. If prophecy and history agree, we may have reason to believe these words. Compare the Old Testament with the New and you will find that they agree although separated by hundreds of years. Notice that all men will be drawn by the cords of his love all who will. When we leave the preaching of the crucified and risen Christ, we leave the fundamental truth that will draw men unto him. Use the printed page that tells of this Christ, and it will draw men unto the blessed Christ.

Emphasize the saving knowledge of Christ by a consecrated Christian living. Let men see that there is a power in this great love of Christ, to make our lives sweet and true and it will draw men to him believe. God will not force men into the kingdom, but will use his loving spirit to persuade men to come and receive him.

It is the preaching of the sacrificial life and death of Christ that draws men unto him. It is the preaching of the love of Christ as manifested by his death upon the cross, that will try men. Men cannot resist the great love of Christ. It will constrain men to believe in him. He died for us and we cannot resist his love.

BICYCLE RACES ON SEPT. 2

Meeting to Be Held at the Fair Grounds On That Day.

A bicycle race meeting will be held at the Fair Grounds on Thursday, Sept. 2, and the program will include these events:

- One mile novice.
- Quarter mile open.
- One mile handicap.
- Half mile open.
- Five mile handicap.

There will also be several special attractions, including tandem paced attempt to break the track record.

The entries will close on Monday, August 30, for the handicap events, and on Tuesday, August 31, for the open events.

Riders from Beloit, Rockford, Madison, Evansville, Monroe and White-water are expected to be present. A delegation of a dozen or fifteen riders is promised from Beloit.

The meeting will be sanctioned by the U. A. W. racing board. Races will be called at 3:30 p. m., and the admission has been placed at 15 cents. Further information regarding the meet and entry blanks may be obtained of J. G. DeLong.

SHINERS SHINE AT BANQUET

The Bootblacks' Union Indulges in Ice Cream and Melon

Eleven local bootblacks formed a union in this city Saturday evening, and gave a banquet at Al. Smith's restaurant. 8:30 o'clock found the members seated adjacent to five cent dishes of ice cream, while six large sized water melons were ready to be carved.

President Davenport then arose and in a short speech stated that the object of the union was to keep all outside "shiners" out of the local field, or else there would be some blood spilled and a hot time generally.

Treasurer Patrick Delaney made a report saying that after all bills had been paid, there yet remained twenty five cents to be expended. The banquet was a success, and the matter of giving another in the near future was discussed. The union has its headquarters in a room in the third floor of the Lappin block.

SOLD HORSES AT CHICAGO

A. F. Phillips and William Hadden Send a Consignment of Equines.

A. F. Phillips and William Hadden are home from Chicago where they disposed of eighteen head of horses at auction sale. These horses, which averaged about 1600 pounds each found ready sale at fair prices, the buyers being plentiful although not as active in bidding as the sellers hoped for. This same firm are now preparing another shipment to be made soon.

NOTES FROM THE ANGELUS

The Cadts resume drilling on the first Monday of September—the sixth.

CHRIST church will meet for rehearsal Friday evening, Sept. 3, at 7:30.

The rector appoints Sunday, September 5, at 3 p. m., for celebrating the sacrament of baptism.

The sessions of the Sunday school will be resumed on Sunday, Sept. 5, at the usual hour, 9 a. m.

SERVICES will be resumed Sunday, Sept. 5, as follows: Morning prayer and holy communion at 10:30 a. m., evening prayer 7:30 p. m.

THE Rt. Rev., the Bishop of the Diocese will probably visit this parish sometime during the month of September to bless the new altar and prayer desk.

It is hoped the ranks of the cadet company will be filled and the roster of the company include forty-three officers and men at the time of the annual meeting.

SUNDAY school roll of honor for July. Marguerite Bostwick, Alice Starratt, Starr Atwood, Hattie Sigham, Lisle Hollister and Lawrence King.

THE annual Cadet service will be held in Christ church on the evening of Sept. 19. The fall field day is set for the last week in September and the annual meeting, Monday evening, Oct. 4.

If you have ever seen a little child in a paroxysm of whooping cough, or if you have been annoyed by a constant tickling in the throat, you can appreciate the value of One Minute Cough Cure, which gives a quick relief. C. D. Stevens.

GANGRENE MAIMS
A BELOIT WOMAN

MRS. PETER AMUNDSON FEAR-
FULLY CRIPPLED.

Her Legs Attacked by Gangrene and the Flesh Literally Eaten Off the Bones—Amputation of Both Legs Above the Knee Found to be Necessary.

Mrs. Peter Amundson, wife of a blacksmith employed at John Thompson & Son's at Beloit, who has endured a living death for a year and a half from gangrene, which had literally eaten her legs away to the knees, endured the amputation of both limbs, and has a promise of life before her. Few cases of suffering have attracted greater sympathy than that of this poor woman. For months she hoped for death and many times it was thought her prayer would be answered. One leg literally rotted off at the knee and the blackened and decaying stump protruded through the flesh. The other leg had been amputated below the knee, but the fearful disease has eaten the flesh from around the bone. In spite of everything it has seemed recently that the woman must be slowly consumed by the disease. Recently, however, she has rallied in strength and nature has been assisting the physician in charge, Dr. Farr, and a few days ago, Dr. Bell on consultation advised the amputation of the bones of both legs above the knee and Dr. Ball assisted by Drs. Farr and Reed performed the dreadful operation. The patient endured the ordeal very well and there is every expectation that she will recover and yet enjoy life. She is 32 years of age and has two children and the family is much respected.

BLACK KILLED BY A HAY RAKE

Milton Junction Man Fatally Hurt At Algona, Iowa.

Hugh Black was killed while driving a hay rake at Algona, Iowa. As there was no witness it will never be known just how the accident happened, or what caused the team to take fright. The bolt that holds the tongue to the rake frame was broken. The supposition is that when this bolt broke the rake dropped forward throwing Mr. Black upon the horses' heels, and in front of the rake teeth. The dead body was picked up fifteen or twenty rods from the rake.

The doctor upon examination found a deep gash cut on the top of the head. The skull was not crushed. The nose was broken and the face was cut and bruised, and badly discolored. There was also a deep gash cut in the nose. When he fell from the rake one of the horses, perhaps, kicked him, striking him on the top of the head and again in the face. The teeth of the rake, no doubt, cut the gashes.

Mr. Black was a middle aged man. He was a well-to-do, in fact one of the wealthy farmers of Algona county. He owned a well improved half section farm, has it well stocked and no encumbrance on any of his property. He had lived upon his place since 1893 going to Iowa from Rock county. He leaves a wife, two sons and one daughter. Mr. Black's sister, Mrs. Alex Paul and sons, of Milton Junction attended the funeral.

BILLS FOR BUFFALO BILL.

Paste Brigade Will Arrive This Evening and Push the Work.

The second paste brigade of Buffalo Bill's Wild West show will be here tonight. George B. Beckley and Ed Gagan, who are in advance of advertising car No. 1, are now here and the car will arrive in the city this evening. The work of billing the surrounding country commenced today, while the city will be posted just as soon as the car brigade arrives.

"There is no reason why the show should not draw a great crowd here next month," remarked a member of the billing brigade, "and although we may not equal last years attendance, we expect them here by the thousands just the same."

A Healthy Body and a Clear Head
If indigestion, constipation and biliousness torment the body, the head cannot be clear. These disorders react upon the brain most hurtfully, and produce a cloudiness in the organ of thought not experienced by a healthy man. Happily, these brain-oppressing maladies may be entirely dispelled by that peerless alternative, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which cheers, refreshes and invigorates the brain and nerves, while it regulates the organs of digestion, assimilation and bilious secretion. It expels the morbid humors which poison the system through the bowels and urinary passages, and exerts a powerful invigorating influence as well. Its cathartic action is never irritating, violent or painful, but even, natural and progressive. As an appetizer and sleep promoter the Bitters is unrivaled; it mitigates the infirmities of age, relieves the ailments peculiar to the gentler sex, arrests premature decay, and builds up an enfeebled physique.

SALES OF LEAF TOBACCO.

Wisconsin Havana Goes At 10 to 11 Cents In New York.

Sales of seed leaf tobacco reported by J. S. Gans' Son, tobacco brokers, No 128, Water street, New York, for the week ending August 23, 1897.

- 150 cases, crop of 1895, Zimmers, at 15 to 16 cents.
- 150 cases, crop of 1895, Pennsylvania Havana, at 12 cents.
- 150 cases, crop of 1895, New England Havana, at 19 to 25 cents.
- 150 cases, crop of 1893, Wisconsin Havana, at 10 to 11 cents.
- 100 cases, crop of 1884, Gebhardt, at 11 cents.
- 100 cases, Sundries, at 6 to 14 cents.
- Total, 750 cases.

Excursion Tickets to Juneau Via the Northwestern line, will be sold at reduced rates, August 23, limited to August 30, on account of Bicycle race meet. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

NEWS HEARD ABOUT THE CITY

KNIGHTS of Honor meet tonight. The council meets this evening. The Imperial band meets tonight for rehearsal.

Mrs. G. W. Chase and children are at Green Bay.

This is drill night for the Janesville Light Infantry.

SATURDAY, August 28, last day on bicycle offer at Sanborn's.

Mrs. and Mrs. A. F. Hall have left for Buffalo via Milwaukee.

Two thousand cords fine second growth oak. F. A. Taylor.

New coal yard, "Schuyllkill coal." Prices right. F. A. Taylor.

GEORGE'S Operatic Minstrels appear at the Myers Grand this evening.

HEINZ'S apple cider vinegar 25 cents a gallon. Send in the jug. Sanborn.

Miss C. B. WILLIAMS is home after a visit at Chicago, Rockford and Belvidere.

Miss CORA SUTHERLAND left today for a visit with Miss Jessie Zeigler, at Minneapolis.

KEEP track of your tea and coffee tickets from Sanborn's August 28th (is) the bicycle offer.

ONLY a few hammocks left at Sanborn's. The 50 cent reduction on them moves them rapidly.

THE regular meeting of Janesville Lodge No. 55, F. and A. M., will be held this evening at Masonic hall.

Mrs. N. JANSEN and Mrs. Hattie Tannert and two children of Stoughton are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bey Jackson, 202 Lincoln street.

Your chance as good as anybody's, for receiving the bicycle offer with tea and coffee. Every 50 cent purchase give you a ticket. Sanborn.

TWENTY-six of the young friends of Misses Gussie and Minnie Boylan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boylan, of Second street, gave them a surprise party Saturday evening. The guests were: Misses Fannie Donnelly, Nellie Carroll, May Gakey, May Hagan, Maggie Mulligan, Ethel Trow, Gussie Boylan, Minnie Donnelly, Kittie Lee, Laura Schaller, Nellie McDonald, Mamie Trow, Alice Livingston, Minnie Boylan. Masters Frank Holt, Eddie Thorn, Charles Brown, John Cronin, William Thorn, Lawrence Viney, Lewis Sergeant, Willie Brown, Clayton Tanberg, James Cronin, Harry Marshall, Fred Holt, James Donnelly, Roy McDonald.

ENTERTAIN FOR MISS CONWAY

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Williams Were Host and Hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Williams entertained a number of guests Saturday at their Forest Park residence, the event being in honor of Miss Eva L. Conway, of Washington, D. C. Dancing and a musical program followed a game of cards, and the evening was delightfully spent. Those present from out of the city were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKinney, Chicago; Miss Hattie McKinney, Chicago and E. J. O'Connor, Chicago.

GOSSIP FOR THE WHEELMEN

W. A. SPRAGUE rode to Lake Geneva yesterday.

FRED CAPELLS and B. L. Watt rode a tandem to Delavan.

T. J. ANDERSON wheeled to Milton yesterday.

F. B. SMITH selected Lake Geneva as his destination yesterday.

HARRY GIFFORD wheeled to Fort Atkinson yesterday, and spent the day.

CARL MILLER made a century run yesterday by making the round trip to Madison.

J. G. DeLONG made a century yesterday, by making Madison by First, Second and Third lakes.

T. B. MILLER and W. M. Sibley, Oak Park, Ill., cyclists, remained here over night, leaving this morning for home.

ROBERT M. BOSTWICK and A. E. Bingham are home from their cycle trip through the northern part of the state.

PERCY MUNGER rode to Fort Atkinson yesterday. On the return trip he cut his tire by running over a broken bottle.

JAMES BUCHANAN, James Haggart, J. L. Mahoney and Alex. Buchanan rode to Lake Koshkonong yesterday on their wheels.

Much in Little

Is especially true of Hood's Pills, for no medicine ever contained so great curative power in so small space. They are a whole medicine.

Hood's Pills
chest, always ready, always efficient, always satisfactory; prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver ills, sick headache, jaundice, constipation, etc. 25c. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

OPERA HOUSE!
Monday, August 23rd.

...GEORGE'S...

OPERATIC

COLORED MINSTRELS

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GEORGIA UNIVERSITY GRADUATES.

Watch for Noonday Parade.

PRICES—25, 35 AND 50 CENTS.

Sale opens Monday at 10 a. m.

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.
THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 26 S. MAIN ST. JANESVILLE, WIS.
OWNERS OF THE QUALITY UP TO

At This Store

already the trend of many people is to begin to think of fall. Already we are showing goods for fall in liberal quantities.

Some Women

prefer to, others are forced to commence early to prepare for autumn and winter needs.

For the Early Ones...

We are now showing new things in

Dress Goods, Silks, Velvets, Trimmings, Winter Garments, Flannels, Blankets, Yarns, Table Linens, Underwear, Hose, Matting, Carpets, &c.

We are ready to supply almost any demand. The large shipments of new goods that we have received were bought before the passage of the tariff bill and we are in a position to sell fall goods at close prices and give our customers the best qualities.

Shirt Waists...

To close out every waist is our intention and we have changed prices all around.

At 25c, several dozen waists that were 75c to \$1.50; the price is a mere bagatelle.

At 45c, 8 dozen choice new waists, mostly in desirable dark colors, with detachable collars and cuffs.

The Balance of our waists that were \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and \$4.50, we offer at just 1/2 of the above figures.

Suits and Skirts

are attracting attention. Ours are very desirable and can be bought low. It is a rare opportunity to get a new suit or skirt at small cost.

Wrappers..

Five dozen at 70c, reduced from 80c and \$1. Our entire stock we are offering at prices that are an inducement to buy.

We Wish to...

emphasize particularly the completeness of our stock of Dress Goods, Silks, Velvets and Trimmings. All the new things are in—no need of waiting longer.

Changeable

Taffetta Silks...

An excellent grade at 75c, for skirts, &c.

World's Fair Ice Cream.
Home-Made Candies.
Finest Bakery Goods.
PALACE OF SWEETS.
19 North Main Street.
Formerly Dally's.

5,460 Hours....
Set at table each year. Those hours are thoroughly enjoyable if the child table accessory—BUTTER—is good.
Our Northern Dairy Butter is ::::
GOOD BUTTER
We have acquired a reputation through handling it. Always the same—flavor, color and quality. We receive it twice weekly and guarantee every pound.
NOLAN BROS.
Phone 172.

A Recent... TESTIMONIAL:
June 28th, 97. H. F. NOTT, Dealer in Pianos and Organs, Janesville, Wis.:
Dear Sir:—We purchased a Braumuller Piano about five years ago and can truthfully say that I take pleasure in stating that it has given the most perfect satisfaction in our home. Its capacity for standing in tune is certainly wonderful and the tone today is as good if not better than the day we bought it, and would recommend it to any one wanting a first-class Piano.
Respectfully Yours,
Signed by A. CRAWFORD.

Easily worth 65c
Unhandy and of no account are magazines unbound, but bound in cloth and leather for 65c they are worth double the amount. Drop us a postal or telephone us. We will call.
W.E. CLINTON & CO
32 S. Main St. Janesville.
(Over Conrad & Co.)
Telephone 229

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Lake Geneva.

Last excursion of the year to this beautiful resort, Thursday, August 26 Round trip only \$1. Leave Janesville on regular C. & N. W. R'y train at 7:55 a. m.; arrive at Lake Geneva at 10:15 a. m.; Williams Bay at 10:30 a. m. Returning, leave Williams Bay at 5:40 p. m., Lake Geneva at 6 p. m. Arrive at Janesville at 8:10 p. m. For tickets and other information apply to agents C. & N. W. R'y. Co.

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LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE NO. 77
Business Office.....77-2
Editorial Room.....77-2

Terms of Subscription.
Daily edition, one year.....\$6.00
Half of a year, per month......50
Weekly edition, one year.....1.50
Special Advertising Notice.

We charge full rates for cards of thanks, obituary poems, financial statements of insurance companies, and all other class of items not considered news.
We publish free marriages, deaths, and obituary notices without poetry; also notices of church and society meetings.
We publish at half rates church and society notices of entertainments given for revenue.

Open Saturday Night.
For the convenience of patrons The Gazette office is open every Saturday evening until 8:45 p. m.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1720—Increase Mather, fanatical Puritan, etc., died in Boston; born 1639.
1754—Louis XVI of France was born; guillotined 1793.
1785—Oliver Hazard Perry, American naval hero, was born in Newport, R. I.; died on the same date in 1819.
1789—Silas Deane, American diplomat and agent in France of the Revolutionary colonies in 1776-7, died in Deal, England.
1803—Bombardment of Fort Sumter by the batteries under General Q. A. Gillmore; 419 shots struck the fort.
1867—Rear Admiral Thomas Tingey Craven, U. S. N., retired, died at Charleston; born 1808.
1894—Judge Norman L. Freeman, the oldest court reporter in the United States, died at Springfield, Ills.

FLOUR \$13.75 A BARREL.

It takes \$5.70 to buy a barrel of flour in Chicago today, but reports from Mexico indicate that it takes over thirteen Mexican dollars to buy the same barrel. This shows something of the distressing condition to which the laboring class of that country are reduced under free silver. A report by a special commission sent to Mexico by the Trade and Labor assembly at Chicago last fall shows that teamsters get \$1 per day in Mexican money in the City of Mexico, while those in the city of Chicago get \$1.75 per day in American dollars, which, as indicated, are worth nearly 2½ times as much as the Mexican dollar. Street car drivers get 75 cents per day in the City of Mexico in depreciated, and in the city of Chicago \$2.25 per day in good, money. Printers in Mexico \$1.25 per day, in Chicago \$3. Pressmen in Mexico \$1.20 per day, in Chicago \$3.50. Shoemakers in Mexico \$1.25, in Chicago \$2.30. Carpenters in Mexico \$1.25 per day, in Chicago \$2.80. Brick layers in Mexico \$1.25 in Chicago \$4 per day. Laborers in Mexico 37½ cents per day, in Chicago \$1.25. When it is remembered that these wages quoted in Mexico are paid in alleged dollars which are worth but about 43 cents as compared with our dollars, which are worth 100 cents the contrast in earning capacity is something appalling and is not a recommendation for the free coinage proposition which the democrats of a few states still have the hardihood to urge.

IMPORTS KEPT BACK.

The free-trade organs are gloating over the fact that the receipts under the new law are running light in its first month or two and evidently overlook the fact that the Wilson law has also a record. During several months of its early history the receipts under it fell below the twenty million line, and yet it had the advantage of largely excessive importations due to the fact that foreign imports were held back prior to its final enactment, while conditions are exactly reversed with reference to the Dingley law, the importations during the few months prior to its enactment being nearly double the normal amount.

The railroad men of the country, who stood like a stone wall in favor of sound money at the last election without reference to their former affiliation, are now reaping the benefit of that action. Railroad earnings are increasing in all parts of the country, large additions have been made to the working force, better hours are given, and as a consequence more earnings and steady employment. The July earnings of 118 railroads operating nearly 100,000 miles of road aggregate 8½ per cent. higher than in July, 1894.

The evidence accumulates with each days advice that the long continued depression in financial circles has passed and thanks to five years of forced economy and cessation of speculation, coupled with today's abundant harvest at remunerative prices to the agriculturists, a new prosperity is coming to the people."—From address of Comptroller Eckles (Dem.) before American Bankers Association, August 18, 1897.

The New York Journal, which a year ago was insisting that nothing but the free coinage of silver could bring prosperity to the United States, has evidently changed its views. It recently published a full page article showing a highly prosperous condition in New York and the country over, and predicted its continuation.

What a pity that Mr. Bryan did not begin his study of the Spanish language a few days earlier. The Mexicans are eagerly awaiting his arrival in order to learn from him in their own tongue just how to meet the crisis precipitated by the fall of

silver—of course he can tell them all about it.

The bulls and bears are as far apart on wheat as they were when the price was 70 cents. P. D. Armour has not hedged on his prophecy that the \$1.50 mark will be passed before the holidays.

Mrs. Herriford Acquitted.
Edina, Mo., Aug. 23.—The trial of Mrs. Esther Herriford for the murder of Jacob Foster resulted in her acquittal. Mrs. Herriford has now brought suit against Joseph Donaldson for \$10,000 damages for libel in having published an extract from a Michigan paper which accused her of the murder of her brother, and also intimating that she and her brother had killed their mother while they were living in Three Oaks.

Spanish Troops for Cuba.
Havana, via Key West, Aug. 23.—According to La Lucha's dispatches from Madrid General Azcarraga intends to send new reinforcements to the Spanish army in Cuba, Puerto Rico, and the Philippines. Twenty thousand men will be sent to Cuba, 10,000 to Puerto Rico, and 10,000 to the Philippines.

Noted Fenian Is Dead.
New Haven, Conn., Aug. 23.—James Reynolds, known as "Catalpa Jim," died at his home in this city Sunday. Mr. Reynolds was one of the leading spirits in the old Fenian brotherhood, and his fitting out of the Catalpa expedition made his name widely known throughout the country.

Massachusetts Republican Convention.
Boston, Mass., Aug. 23.—At a meeting of the Republican state committee it was decided to hold the Republican state convention here on Wednesday, September 29.

No Walk-Out.
Marquette, Mich., Aug. 23.—There was no walk-out of the men in the mines at Ishpeming to-day. In secret meeting Sunday evening the men decided to defer action a week, and in the meantime take a vote by ballot on the advisability of striking in case the non-union men cannot be forced out.

A Remarkable Cure of Chronic Diarrhoea.

In 1862, when I served my country as a private in Company A, 16th Pennsylvania Volunteers, I contracted chronic diarrhoea. It has given me a great deal of trouble ever since. I have tried a dozen different medicines and several prominent doctors without any permanent relief. Not long ago a friend sent me a sample bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and after that I bought and took a 50 cent bottle; and now I can say that I am entirely cured. I cannot be thankful enough to you for this great Remedy, and recommend it to all suffering veterans. If in doubt write me. Yours gratefully, HENRY STEINBERGER, Allentown, Pa. Sold at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy, corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

It is always gratifying to receive testimonials for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and when the endorsement is from a physician it is especially so. There is no more satisfactory or effective remedy than Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes Dr. R. E. Kobey, physician and pharmacist, of Olney, Mo.; and as he has used the Remedy in his own family and sold it in his drug store for six years, he should certainly know. For sale at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

To Retire.

We are positively going out of business and want to get out in as short a time as possible, and to that end we will put the prices on our Woollens, Hats and Furnishing Goods at COST AND LESS.

If you want a Pant, Suit or Overcoat pattern you can get it cheaper now than ever again.

We will make them up for you at cost prices if you wish, or else you can take them elsewhere.

Our Fall Woollens are beauties and there never was a finer line shown in this city.

Yours,
DEARBORN & ALLEN.

Good Printing...

Is like good painting—it demands and obtains a second glance. The second glance leads to thought about and knowledge of the thing portrayed, and then on to the artist or advertiser.

The kind of printing as well as the kind of painting that it pays to do and to have done is that which obtains this "second glance." Plenty of the other kind!

We are PRINTERS. Our work obtains glances of admiration, and thus leads on to the end desired. We don't do the "other kind." Put our job room to the test.

GAZETTE PT'G CO.

Special sale of.....
BLACK
DRESS GOODS.

The prices quoted for this sale are special values.
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday are the days selected for offering of these special values.

Black wool Henrietta, 38 inches wide, and black brocade with large figure, 40 inches wide, real value 35c; these goods go at

22c
Black Brilliantine, 52 inches wide, real value 50c; special price for this sale,

32c
Black Brocades, 38 inches wide, beautiful figures, we'll worth 50c; we offer these goods at

38c
All wool diagonal worsted 50 inches wide; makes a most beautiful skirt; you can easily see that these goods are worth 65c; special price,

39c
Black Sicilian, very brilliant, 40 inches wide; this is our regular 65c goods; special at

49c
Fine all wool Black Henriettas and serges, 50 and 52 inches wide; regularly 85 and 90c; we offer them at

68c
Special lot of fine Black Brocaded Goods that are usually sold for \$1 and considered bargains at that price; we offer these goods at

70c
\$1.25 Blacks go at \$1 per yard during this sale

H. HOFFMASTER & SON,
18 South Main Street.

RIDERS' RACKET STORE.

Open all day and every evening.

The Most Goods For
The Least Money.

We underbuy. We undersell. We sell so as to keep on selling. Get others' prices, then go up to Riders'. Hammocks, Croquet Sets, Children's Wagons, Doll Carriages, Rocking Horses, Dolls, Toys in great variety, blue and white and stone ware Cooking Dishes, Tinware, Glassware, Crockery, Flower Pots, Mason's qt. Fruit Jars, extra Fruit Jar Rubbers, Jelly Tumblers, Water Tumblers, Perforated Chair Seats, Scouring Soap, Toilet Soap, Sapolio, Starch, Matches, Uncolored Japan Tea 25c.

RIDER'S, near Grand Hotel
163 W. Milwaukee St.

The Detective Wins

Yes, the detective won, and the story of how he did it is one of the most exciting ever told. You can read it in these columns. It is entitled

A Conflict
of Evidence

It was written by Rodriguez Ottolengui, the author of "An Artist in Crime," and one of the strongest writers of detective stories living.

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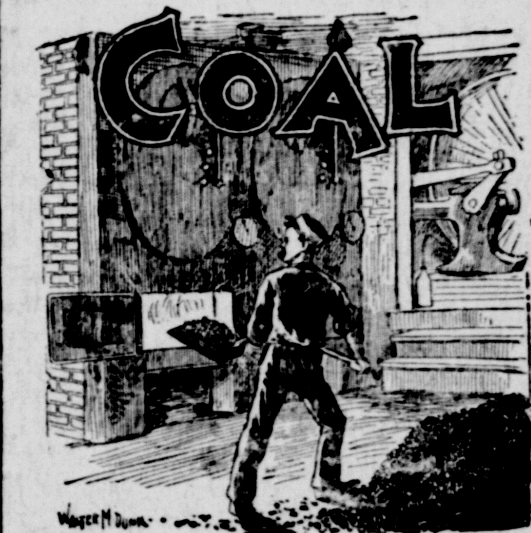
in your busiest moments that a gentleman's linen should always be immaculate in color, and done up with the proper domestic finish. And don't you forget, either, that this is the place to have it done to the Queen's taste. Linen and duck, pique vests or suits, collars, cuffs, white or colored shirts, are sent home just like new. We give satisfaction always.

RIVERSIDE STEAM LAUNDRY.
C. A. STANTON, Proprietor,
Telephone 162.

Do you want ...

Threshing Coal
or ...

... Steam Coal ???



We have plenty of it.
Prices right.

JANESVILLE COAL CO
P. E. NEUSES, Sec

Want a Chance
To Sell You Coal.

I am in a position to make prices and have the stock.
Threshing Coal,
Hocking, Indiana Block,
Illinois Lump.
All the best brands. Quality and price guaranteed.

NO COAL FAMINE.

I have plenty of coal of all kinds—soft or hard—every grade known, and prices as low as ever.

Scranton or
Lackawanna Hard Coal.
And, bear in mind always, price and quality guaranteed. Let us send you a trial order.

J. W. CARPENTER.
Phone 76. 101 N. Academy St.

A
Triumphant
Season. ...

This has been a great season for the Wolff-American Bicycle. No other wheel has won such praise. No wheel in the world answers the tests of the machine shop as well at every joint, angle, and bearing. It is significant that expert machinists are its warmest advocates.

W. W. WILLS.
Agent Wolff-American Bicycle.
North River Street. Janesville.

Choicest California Fruit

Bananas, Pears, Peaches, Plums, etc.
Cheapest prices in the city.

BEAUMONT DEFOREST.

Wants.

The Gazette want column brings good results.

Extraordinary Sale of
Gents' Medium Weight
Shirts
and
Drawers

...At 25 Cents.

They are jersey ribbed, made of fine combed Egyptian cotton, nicely finished and made; all sizes from 32 to 44; just the right weight for the next two months' wear. We secured 60 dozen at just about one-half their real value, and will sell them to the good people of Rock county at 25 cents a piece, as another proof of our low buying and small profit cash prices. See them in our window.

Every day we are receiving new
Dress Goods
For Fall : :

And can show you some of the nobbiest styles you ever saw. This statement we will prove to your entire satisfaction if you will take the trouble to look into the matter.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

PROPER TIME FOR SUMMER CUTS
.. TAN SHOES ..
Must Soon Give Way On Our Shelves To Fall Goods.

12 pairs of Burt & Packard \$5.00 Shoes, per pair	\$3.50
14 pairs of Jas A. Banister \$5.00 Shoes for	\$2.00
18 pairs of New coin toe, \$4.00 H. S. & H. shoes for	\$3.00
15 pairs of Stacy & Adams peach and Rugby toe \$5 shoe. Chocolate and Ox-blood colors.	\$3.50

All these goods are up to date and Are Great Bargains.
BENNETT & LUBY. FOOT FITTING SHOE MEN. ON THE BRIDGE.
Free Shines to all wearers of our shoes.

DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS.
The only safe, sure and reliable Female PILLS ever offered to Ladies, especially recommended to married Ladies.
Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other. Send for circular. Price \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00.
DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., - Cleveland, Ohio.
For Sale by Harry E. Ranous & Co., Janesville.

Handsomeness
Banquet Lamps

Your Stomach
Distresses You
after eating a hearty meal, and the result is a chronic case of Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, or a bilious attack.
RIPANS TABULES
Promote Digestion, Regulate the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, Purify the Blood, and are a Positive Cure for Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, and all other Disorders arising from a disordered condition of the Liver and Stomach. They act gently yet promptly, and perfect digestion follows their use.
Ripans Tablets take the place of an Entire Medicine Chest, and should be kept for use in every family.
Price, 50 Cents a box. At Druggists, or by mail, RIPANS CHEMICAL CO., 10 SILVER ST., NEW YORK.

The Delicious Fragrance
Refreshing coolness and soft beauty imparted to the skin by POZOSKI'S POWDER, commends it to all ladies.

at prices that will allow of their being placed in the most modest homes. The appearance of an entire room may be softened and beautified by the light shed from a handsome lamp. Such are selling at
.. WHEELOCK'S ..

BIG PARTY STARTED FOR BUFFALO TODAY

THREE CARS SENT EAST OVER
THE C. & N. W.

Grand Army Men Do Not Predominate
Although the Local Post is Well
Represented—Pleasure Seekers
Fill Most of the Seats on the
Special.

Janesville never sent as large an
excursion east as started today. The
low fare—\$13.25 for the round trip,
with sleeping car berths at \$1.50 and
Wagner drawing room sections at \$4
made a powerful inducement.

Agent C. A. Potter of the C. & N.
W., waved a farewell, metaphorically
speaking to three well filled cars that
rolled out of here today.

He declared, moreover, that he
could have sold more berths had they
been at his command.

The first car left Sunday morning
and after leaving the C. & N. W. lines
went east over the Michigan Central.
Janesville people made up most of this
party, they being: H. S. Hillsbrant,
William Bristol, Eugene Sharpe,
and wife, L. B. Reynolds
and son, Mrs. T. L. Acheson,
Mrs. M. Conley, Mrs. Charles Evans,
Mrs. M. E. St. John, Mrs. Charles
Myhr and children, A. C. Thorpe, wife
and mother; T. S. Nolan, Frank Fitz-
gerald, Mrs. Will Hayes and mother,
F. S. Winslow, wife and daughter; F.
E. Green and wife, Hiram Murdock,
wife and daughter; Al. Kavelege and
wife, Mrs. C. D. Child, George D.
Simpson, Mrs. Charles Stevens and
son, Dr. W. H. Judd.

On the 7:55 a. m. train today there
was attached a car to go by way of
the Lake Shore route. Those on
board were: E. H. Field, Jas.
Stephens, W. Robinson and wife,
Mrs. Loomis, Mr. Newell, F. B. Childs
and son, Miss Alice, Miss Clara Paul,
Vonia Gleason, Ruby L. Gleason, H.
Richardson, Mrs. Woodstock, Miss
Russell, Miss Zimmerman, Mrs. Charles
Downing and daughter; Miss Woolston,
Clinton; J. E. Helmer, wife and daughter,
Clinton; W. A. Mayhew, Clinton;
Mr. and Mrs. Merens, Sharon; William
Woodcock, Sharon; Henry Ferris, wife,
Harvard; C. Blake, Harvard, John
Harris, Harvard; S. Smith,
Woodstock; N. F. Young,
Woodstock; Miss Turner, Woodstock;
Others who took Buffalo tickets and
ran the risk of getting sleeping car
accommodation in Chicago were:

Martin Curtis, Adam Holt, Sarah
Donovan, Miss Jennie Spoon, W. H.
Campbell, John Murray, Chas. Murray,
S. S. Winston, Sopho Soloff, Fred Ahl-
ergman and wife, Mary E. Carrier, A.
M. Carrier.

On the noon train today another
sleeper was attached to go east over
the Lake Shore route, the occupants
being: W. F. Carle, F. B. Granger
and wife, P. Noon, E. P. Wixom
and son, C. C. Fisher and
wife, L. M. Hatfield, Chas.
B. Evans, M. H. Soverhill,
James Horn, wife and sister, M. B.
Clark, G. C. Ferris, L. P. Ferris and
Charles Randall, all of Janesville; L.
Gosselin, Fort Atkinson; Mrs. Wer-
dale, Fort Atkinson; Mrs. Mattie Mes-
ser and sister, Beloit; C. E. Page, Be-
loist; B. C. Smiley, Beloit; W. Hill and
wife, Woodstock; M. Maxon and wife,
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THE TOWN TALES OF A DAY.

MONEY to loan. S. D. Grubb.
WILL you get that bicycle at San-
born's?

VEHICLES of all descriptions, and
prices right. Taylor.
ATTORNEY Hamilton P. Richardson
of Milwaukee, is here.

A HANDSOME residence is going up on
Court street, for Col. T. W. Goldin.

Mrs. FLORA RIDER of Winona, is a
guest at the home of Charles Biker.

FOR RENT, CHEAP—Small flat and
office room; water, etc. S. D. Grubb.
JOSEPH LADUE's graphic description of
the Klondike country closes in to-
day's Gazette.

ONE of Archie Reid & Co's. interest-
ing sales for Wednesday. Large ad
tells about it.

To retire from business, selling
stock and fixtures at cost or less.
Dearborn & Allen.

FRED LITTLE and Miss Clara Bates
were married by Judge M. M. Phelps
yesterday afternoon.

The Monterey cotton mill has shut
down, pending the receipt of cotton
from the new crop.

ARCHIE REID & Co's. Wednesday
sales are popular with the ladies, large
ad tonight speaks of the next one.

Mrs. D. FRANDENBERG left for Mil-
waukee this morning, after a two
weeks' visit with Mrs. William Knipp.

If you have a good umbrella frame it
will pay you to have it covered.
Prices 65 cents to \$2.75. F. F. Pier-
son.

THERE will be a special meeting of
W. H. Sargent Post G. A. B. this
evening to prepare for the funeral of
Comrade Sisson tomorrow afternoon.
C. D. Childs, Com.

Wanted—Good reliable man to han-
dle stores. Someone who understands
the business. Must come from the
city. H. Friedman, corner W. Mil-
waukee and Franklin streets.

JANESVILLE people will get four
street cars—no more. Running six
cars last week did not pay in spite of
the Epworth League convention.
Motormen Charles Carpenter and Ar-
chie Green were laid off Saturday
night.

The survivors of the Twelfth Wis-
consin battery are requested to meet
at the Odd Fellows' club rooms on
North Main street, at 8 p. m. this
evening, to make arrangements for
attending the funeral of our late Com-
rade S. G. Sisson. W. J. McIntyre.

BERGEN JUMPED HIS BAIL.

John M. Nelson Out \$100 Through Non-
Appearance of a Pedler.

John M. Nelson the liveryman is out
\$100 through the non-appearance of
Frank Bergen in the municipal court
this morning. Bergen was arrested
on August 11 by Chief Hogan for sell-
ing a medicine known as Dr. Woods'
Compound Extract of Sarsaparilla
which it was claimed was below the
standard in quality. The case was
adjourned until Monday, August 23 at
10 o'clock a. m. on the giving of \$100
bonds by Bergen with John M. Nelson
as his bondsman.

This morning when the case was
called Bergen failed to put in an ap-
pearance and the bonds were forfeited.

PAID \$500 FOR REVISION

John M. Whitehead. W. E. Wheeler and
Seven Others Paid for Extra Work.

Senator John M. Whitehead and As-
semblyman W. G. Wheeler receive \$500
apiece from the state for their work in
revising the statutes. Arthur L. San-
born, John B. Berryman, Daniel E.
Riordan, Julius E. Boehr, William H.
Flett, David F. Jones and Leslie O.
Harvey receive the same compensa-
tion.

BREAD RAISED TO 5 CENTS

No More Cheap Loaves to Be Had While
Flour Is High

With flour selling at three cents a
pound there is no money in selling
bread at three cents a loaf. All the
Janesville bakers that had been selling
bread for three cents raised to five
cents today.

THE CALL OF DEATH IS HEARD.

S. G. Sisson.

S. G. Sisson, an old resident of
Janesville, died Sunday forenoon at
about 10 o'clock, at the home of S. H.
Stone, Third ward. Death resulted
from paralysis.

Mr. Sisson came here in 1851 and
when the war broke out enlisted in
the Twelfth Wisconsin battery. Mem-
bers of the battery of W. H. Sargent
Post will attend his funeral in a body.
Funeral services will be held from
the home of S. H. Stone tomorrow af-
ternoon.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

CAEPER M. SANGER of Milwaukee, is
dead.

REV. W. H. LOCKWOOD died at Eau
Claire.

BUGGLARS looted the West Superior
postoffice.

F. RAPIN fell dead while preach-
ing at Cedarsburg.

GIFFORD & CULBERTSON's circus dis-
banded at Trempealeau.

OSHKOSH will raise \$20,000 for the
street railway company.

A new elevator to hold 400,000
will be built at Eau Claire.

The meeting of the Sons of Her-
mann, at Oshkosh, ended with a pa-
rade.

STATE Veterinarian Clute is unable
to decide as to the mysterious disease
that killed B. Connors' horses at
Auburndale.

LIVELY COAL TRADE IS NOW INDICATED

HUSTLING REQUIRED TO GET
FALL STOCKS.

Not a Ton Can Arrive For at Least
Three Weeks—Business of the
Season Must be Concentrated Into
a Brief Space of Time and a Car
Famine Threatens.

Coal dealers are wondering where
their supply of soft coal is to come
from, even if the strike is settled. It
will be three weeks from the time the
strike is settled, before any coal is re-
ceived here they declare and a car
famine is expected. A Milwaukee
coal man said to a reporter yesterday:

"Look at the situation! The cars have
been scattered to the four winds
during the strike, and there will be a
regular stampede among the operators
to get hold of them for the purpose of
sending the coal to the lake shipping
points. Why, you take it in Milwau-
kee today and there is a scarcity of
cars. Then there is the difficulty of
securing boats, when the rush comes
all in a heap. There's another thing,
anthracite coal has not been moving
as it usually does during the summer
months. Sales have been slow, and
the country is not possessed of any
part of its winter supply. Of course,
the operators in the east can send it
on to us fast enough, but the trouble
will be that we cannot handle it—we
haven't the cars, and we won't be able
to get them."

"How much coal is there in Mil-
waukee? Let me tell you, we sent two
coal men out last week to take an
account of the stocks, and they re-
ported that independent of the coal
that is due railroad companies, there
is just 34,000 tons with which to sup-
ply the local trade, including that
which has to be delivered under con-
tract as it is called for."

"There is going to be a humming
market this fall for coal, if there is
any to be had. The farmers have
been holding back, and there is no fuel
for them to use in their threshing,
creameries and other works. Their
machinery is run by inexperienced
men so far as the steam making ap-
paratus is concerned, and they are un-
able to change the

THE TRUE STORY OF THE KLONDIKE.

Told by Joseph Ladue, a
Returned Miner.

A LONG BATTLE FOR GOLD.

How the Hardships Have Been
Magnified.

PLAIN TALE OF A PROSPECTOR.

The Country, the Weather and
the People.

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Champagne at trading posts. They don't keep champagne in the saloons and dance halls, only at the trading posts. The women get a percentage of the receipts for dancing with the miners. Frequently when the miners feel flush they give the women nuggets.

When I left Dawson, there were ten saloons and only three restaurants. One restaurant belonged to a barber, one to an Italian, whose name I don't recollect, and one to an ironmonger. They charge \$1.50 for a meal which consists of bacon, beans, bread, coffee, a piece of cheese and dried fruit. The restaurants were well patronized. They sold everything they could rake or scrape.

The trouble was they couldn't get enough supplies to satisfy the demand for meals. Bacon was \$1 a pound. Eggs were as high as \$5 a dozen in the winter. A man could get just what he was a mind to ask for his outfit when he came up in the spring.

There was trouble in getting help to do anything there. You got a man and kept him a day or two and he would get the general excitement and off he would go.

The A. C. T. company and N. A. T. company both made two trips with their boats there. They both keep general stores. Flour is \$12 a hundred pounds; sugar, 20 to 25 cents—20 cents for brown and 25 cents for granulated; rice is 20 cents a pound; oatmeal, 25 cents; condensed milk is 60 cents a can; butter is \$1.50 a roll; beans are 12½ cents; salt is 15 cents; dried fruit, 25 to 30 cents; apricots are 35 cents a pound; tobacco sells for \$1.50 a pound, chewing and fancy brands for smoking; plug cut is \$2 a pound; cigars wholesale there for \$90 to \$150 per 1,000; a single cigar is 50 cents. It would sell here for 5 cents.

Four Dollar Blankets Cost Thirty Dollars.

Blankets run all the way—for a good blanket which a white man would use—from \$16 to \$30 a pair. Hudson bay blankets sell for \$30, which you would get for about \$4 in England. A good linen shirt will cost you \$5, a suit of underwear about \$10; canvas overalls, from \$2 to \$2.50; boots, from \$10 to \$12. The common stogy shoes are worth \$5 to \$7.50, which would cost about \$1 here.

A suit of clothes brings \$30 to \$50. There are no tailors there yet. These clothes are custom made winter clothes, the same as they keep in the cities. They are largely remnants of clothing dealers' old stocks.

For winter wear the overcoats, if you wear any, are the parkies, which are made out of the Siberian deer skins and have white spots on them. There is no cloth used in their manufacture. The fur side shows.

The effect of seeing a man in one of these spotted coats is peculiar. The parkies have a hood with a fringe of wolf fur around the face. They extend down to the knees. They are put on over the head like a shirt and are very warm and comfortable. The cost of one is anywhere from \$20 to \$40.

The dress of the people there in the summer is just about what it is here.

KLONDIKE CHILDREN.

Schools, Churches, Lawyers and Doctors on the Ground.

There are lots of children up there now. They are most all strangers to me. The barber, I know, has two sons and one daughter. An immense lot of children came in this spring. There is a school at Circle City, and one is being built in Dawson this year. The teacher in Circle City, which is above the arctic circle and the farthest city north, was an American from Nebraska. I don't know what her name was or what pay she got—probably \$75 a month.

There were no churches in Dawson up to the time I left. There will be a Catholic church built this summer. There will probably be also an English church and a Presbyterian church too. Bishop Rowe of Boston has the latter in charge. Father Judge was there when I came away.

Dawson has no theater yet. They wanted me to saw out 50,000 feet of lumber for one, but I was too busy to do it.

There is a theatrical company in that district. It has been playing at Circle City. The leading actor and manager of it is George Snow. His wife is the leading lady. They are real good. They gave all sorts of plays—"Uncle Tom's Cabin" one night, "Old Kentucky" the next, "Camille" the next, "The Newsboy" the next. It is a repertory company. They will have a theater in Dawson this winter.

We have a graveyard started and two graves in it. One is that of Bert Stickney, who died a natural death on Lake La Barge, and the other is that of O. G. Felch, who died of heart disease in the room over my office. We had service over these men conducted by a church

of England man. I don't know his name.

Bishop Bumpers is the head of the English church, and this was one of the clergymen under him. The bishop is at Forty Mile, but will move to Dawson.

\$200 to Lose a Finger.

We have Dr. Wills, a Canadian physician; Dr. Chambers, from Yukon, Wash. I think they charge according to the way a man is fixed. I know one man got a finger taken off and was charged \$200 for the job. These doctors have complete medicine chests. There is no drug store except what Dr. Wills has. There was a lawyer's office started just before I left by two Seattle lawyers. There is also Judge Murphy, who is my legal representative there.

I don't remember hearing that any babies were born in Dawson before I left.

Dawson is situated on the north side of the junction of the Klondike and Yukon rivers, right at the angle. The Yukon is 600 yards wide at this point and the Klondike about the same. As I saw the city last it was about a mile and a half long.

Across the Klondike river there is a little Indian village called Louse Town, which is known on the map as Klondike. The Indians are of the tribe of Gens de Fou, or "foolish people."

I cannot recall any city in New York state that the residents of New York would recognize which bears any resemblance to Dawson as I saw it when I came over the mountain trail on June 23 last. You get simply a foggy idea of houses and tents crowded together.

KLONDIKE AMENITIES.

It Is Not All a Desert Waste, and People May Live Comfortably.

The summer opens about May 15. The ice goes down the river, and by June 1 no snow is seen anywhere. You can plant or sow grain there on May 15. I have raised barley and oats there for two years. You can raise potatoes, but they don't mature. Not enough could be raised of any of these crops to support the people, because there are only a few places where you can raise them.

On the highlands of the mainland the frost strikes every month in the year. The only favorite places for farming are on the islands, and near the coast of these. When you get back too far from the water, the frost strikes there.

Mr. McQuesten has a garden at Forty Mile. He raises potatoes, barley and oats, horse feed, turnips, lettuce, radishes and cabbage. He sells them and gets good prices for them. Turnips sell there for 10 cents a pound. Mr. Harper, at Fort Selkirk, has a garden. That is at the head of the Yukon river, where the Pelly and the Lewis rivers meet, 178 miles from Dawson.

The summer lasts from May 15 until Sept. 1. Your crops can grow during that time.

On March 21 and on Sept. 21 we have the sun as you do here. The days lengthen and shorten there at the rate of seven minutes a day. The longest day there is June 22. On that day we have the sun for about 20 hours—a clear, warm sun. It was 93 degrees the day I left there.

Winter Begins Sept. 1.

After the winter sets in, about the first of September, the cold comes gradually. In the months of September and October the climate is fine. The month of October there is about the same as November here. After that everything is closed up. The Yukon river usually closes between the 1st and the 10th of November. It is not navigable after that time until the next spring.

The reason we cannot get provisions there is on account of not having steamers enough in the summer, and in the winter the river is not navigable at all, so that the best way of getting into the country is closed.

The ice in the river freezes 5½ feet thick, according to Mr. Ogilvy, who cut holes for measurement once a month during the winter. From that time until June 15 of the next summer the life the men and women lead is about the same as in any mining camp.

In the winter time the nights are spent in playing cards. Among the gamblers the great game is poker. Among the miners the favorites are whist, pedro, cribbage and checkers.

Dawson is a woman's country. Any woman who can get along in any ordinarily healthy town would be able to take care of her life there.

Russian Baths There Too.

As far as cleanliness goes, we have the Russian bath. The bathhouses are made out of logs. There is an arch built of rock, and this arch is fired until the rock is hot; then the fire is put out, and a barrel of cold water is thrown on the rock until the house is filled full of steam. You can then get up on a shelf or lie on the floor and get any temperature you want. It is a good sweat bath and is all right, too, for cleaning.

There are bathtubs in the country. They are made there out of zinc, the same as you have here. The barber shop is fitted with one. The Russian bathhouses are mostly free. I had a bathhouse myself. At the barber shop a bath cost \$1.

The currency there is mostly gold dust, and paying is done by weight. Each establishment has its scales. The man who makes a purchase throws his sack of dust over the counter, and the keeper of the store weighs it out. The basis is \$17 to one ounce.

THE MEANS AND THE WAY

A Safe Summer Journey and but One Danger Spot.

The diggings are up the Klondike to the east of Dawson. They begin within two miles of the town site and extend 20 miles at least on both sides of the Klondike river. The district is about 20 miles square—that is, the gold bearing district where the placer mines are. It is on both sides of the river and is composed of two mining districts, known as the Bonanza and Gold Bottom mining districts. The Gold Bottom district

is on the south side of the Klondike river and is farther away from Dawson than Bonanza.

The tributaries of the Klondike are small creeks running into it all the way from two to five miles apart. The diggings are located along these creeks. There are not less than 40 of these tributaries. It is the same way with the Yukon. The whole country for 20 miles between the Yukon and the Klondike, up to the point where Dawson is situated, is composed of creeks, and all along these claims are staked out.

The people who go there now will have to look for new fields. Pretty nearly all of the Klondike has been monopolized and nearly all the claims taken up. From there they will have to go in an easterly direction to the Stuart river. That is about 100 miles east and is the nearest district in which there is any promise of gold development, and that is uncertain.

The journey from San Francisco to Dawson is not hard in the summer time. When leaving San Francisco, a man does not need to take anything with him. He can get his outfit cheaper and to better advantage—just what he needs—in Juneau, because the traders there have made it a study, and a man can get just what will meet his needs the best.

The Chilkat pass is not dangerous in the summer time. It is a defile in the mountains about 30 miles long, with just an Indian trail leading up to the summit. It is a gradual ascent and descent. In the winter the danger lies in the storms, which are liable to overtake the travelers just as in any other place in the mountains.

Men can cross that pass with as little danger in the summer as they can cross any other mountain pass. You can form some idea of the difficulty of the ascent from the fact that if you turn a horse loose on the trail he will walk over himself.

The journey beyond the pass is fine during the summer. You have to get a boat or build one upon reaching Lake Lindeman, which is 14 miles from the summit. You go through Lake Lindeman, which is 5 miles long. Then there is a portage of a mile along a small river, which is hard to run.

Then you reach Lake Bennett, 28 miles long and a terrible crossing, 4 miles; Tokol lake, 21 miles; then mud and marshy lakes, 24 miles. Then come Link river, 27 miles; Miles canyon, seven-eighths of a mile, and 3 miles of water to White Horse rapids. A sign will be seen on the left bank going down, "Look out!" in big letters a foot square.

I helped to put the sign there. It is the only dangerous place on the route. It is better to skip the canyon and go around. I would not advise any tenderfoot to try it, or any large boats, although I always run it myself with a small boat. The waves come back and are liable to swamp your boat unless it is very skillfully handled.

That is a mile long. Then there are 30 miles of Link river; then Lake La Barge, 31 miles long. Now we reach Lewis river, 200 miles to Fort Selkirk, which is at the junction of the Pelly and Lewis rivers, which unite and form the Yukon; then 98 miles to White river, 10 miles to Stuart river; Fort Ogilvie, 25 miles; then to Dawson, 40 miles.

None Starving on the Way.

I never heard of anybody starving to death on that route. I have heard of some being lost. I never heard of their dying of hardship. In the winter time the United States station had mail every month.

I would not care to go in this winter and would not advise any one to try this route. I am afraid a man who was not thoroughly familiar with the country or did not have a guide would not be able to get through in the winter, and even if he did he would suffer great hardships.

In the summer he would get along all right. I don't think Dawson will be provisioned this winter to take care of all those people, because there are not enough boats on the river to take in the provisions.

I don't think the company's boats can bring supplies into Dawson for more than 3,000 men. There are probably 5,000 there now, and more going.

THE LUCKY MINERS.

Men Who Got Large Amounts of Gold Dust. The Exaggerations.

I first heard of the big discovery in August, 1896. It was made by Robert Henderson. He got it out by his gold pan in Gold Bottom creek, about 20 miles from Dawson. That discovery was in the form of rather flaky gold—float gold—that is, the lighter gold, which is carried along by the water and does not settle to the bottom of the creeks.

Water will keep working the lighter gold down the creek, while the heavier nuggets will hang back and be found near the head. I saw this discovery of Henderson's—what he struck first. He had it in a bottle, about \$12 in nuggets, I should think. That was merely from prospecting. It was probably three days after the find that I saw it. That was really the first find which led to the discovery of the district.

Have I really seen gold taken out of this Klondike district? Well, I guess I have. I panned gold on my own dump last spring. I took out of nine pans on claim No. 22, Hunker creek, \$17 in nugget gold. I saw two pans panned out by a fellow named Mercier and his partner which paid \$620. They took about 20 minutes to pan out the two. I saw Mr. Lipsey when he probably had \$350 in one pan. I did not see it weighed.

\$23,000 in Four Hours.

I guess McDonald turned out the biggest work for a day. With three men shoveling in for about four hours he took out \$6 pounds, which was worth between \$27,000 and \$28,000. I heard of other big discoveries which I know to be correct. I know that Phisicater cleaned up \$22,000 as he claimed.

A claim on Bonanza creek by the hand labor of four men in three months

cleaned up \$20,000. The claim belonged to Louis Rhodes. Another one cleaned up \$100,000 in three months. A claim in the El Dorado district cleaned up \$125,000 in the same time. Three men in the months of March and April panned out of 24 feet of dirt \$62,000. That mine was owned by Leggett, Gates and Schutes. A fourth interest in each of two other claims cleaned up \$40,000 apiece.

I'll tell you where they get all wrong on these things. These diggings have not been exaggerated and cannot be exaggerated. You meet a man, and he will tell you he has brought out \$50,000. Another man will tell you he brought out \$125,000. Then the steamers come down to Seattle and give another edition of the same thing.

It is a pretty hard matter to get at the exact amount of gold produced in the Klondike region and brought to this country by the steamships which brought the first reports of the big discoveries.

Some of the men have undoubtedly exaggerated reports as to their own discoveries, but it is impossible to go into detail and tell wherein they have falsified.

I am confident that every man who came down on the steamer Portland brought some gold, and some of them large quantities—how large only they themselves know. I don't know Moss of Montana, who said there were 2,000 graves up there. He was never in Dawson.

I would not like to say that any one of the men has lied about the amount of gold that he brought out, but I have no personal knowledge that many of the men brought out what they said they did.

Our steamers brought down about \$2,000,000. There was \$4,000,000 taken out, as near as we could get at it, in the district last winter. It was taken out, as you might say, in two months' time, by hand labor with pick and shovel.

I don't think there were over 400 men employed in doing this. McDonald got a good lot of that gold. Berry was benefited as much as any. Phisicater, Mercier, Stanton and son, George Mulligan, Warden brothers, Louis Rowe and several others got large amounts. I guess I got my share.

GAME AND FISH.

Both Abound in Great Variety and Are of Large Size.

There are lots of animals and fish in the Yukon and Klondike districts. The moss and brush country is overrun by mice. They are not rats. There are 40 different kinds of mice. They cause lots of damage in the stores of the settlements.

The fur bearing animals there are marten; silver, black and arctic or white foxes; lynx, otter, land otter, beaver, mink, muskrat. There are no buffalo now, but we find buffalo horns, showing that they have existed there.

We shoot moose and caribou for meat. Caribou are plentiful; moose are not. There are lots of bears, black, brown, grizzly and white. There are no deer except the Siberian deer, which are domestic and from whose fur the "parkies" we wear are made. We have a little ground bird, and swallows are thick.

Geese and wild ducks, which breed on the rocks and rivers in the summer time, are very plentiful. The geese are so thick sometimes that you can't hear yourself talk. During the month of August they come south as the summer ends.

The fishing is good in the Yukon and Klondike rivers. We catch king salmon there that weigh from 80 to 100 pounds, grayling that weigh 1½ pounds, whitefish from 1 to 20 pounds, lake trout from 5 to 48 pounds and ling, a sort of eel without scales, looking a good deal like a snake. Some of these weigh 25 or 30 pounds. We catch most of these by trolling, except the salmon, which we spear and net. In the winter we fish through the ice for whitefish, grayling, pike and ling.

Plenty of Building Timber.

We have spruce, cottonwood and birch timber, all of which is good for building purposes. The hills are quite thickly covered with large trees. The valleys have really the best timber. There are lots of wild flowers in the summer months. The wild roses are most common. They are similar to our single leaf roses here. About the only thing we have there in the line of medical herbs are wild tansy, white sage and juniper. Strawberries, raspberries and cranberries are abundant.

I don't believe there is much outlook for manufacturing, although there is coal enough up there to support a great many factories at once, if there was anything to manufacture. The nearest smelter is at Tacoma, 2,000 miles away. I believe there will be a smelter at Dawson ultimately to treat the silver and copper ores.

There is plenty of silver in that country, out it is of low grade and would not pay for transportation to be smelted. In addition to silver, there is lots of copper. I have picked up chunks of copper weighing eight pounds. It is found in the beds of the streams.

The Indians use copper to make bullets. Other minerals found in the hills are cinabar and galena ore. The formation of the rock is limestone, slate and granite.

THE PAY STREAK.

Miners Must Build Fires to Thaw the Frozen Earth.

The first indication of the existence of gold is to be found in the bed of the streams. The way they go at it? A man who has a claim there digs a hole where he thinks it will pay to locate it. He sinks a shaft, as they do inside line and apex mines in the western country. He sinks this shaft to bedrock, which varies from 5 to 17 or 20 feet below the surface of the ground.

The ground is frozen to bedrock in the winter and in the summer also. It never thaws out. If he does not strike pay dirt in that hole, he goes in a

straight line across his claim and strikes another hole 30 feet or so from the first until he reaches bedrock. He does this until he locates the pay streak. Then he drifts in and drifts.

Drifting is, after you get to your bedrock and get your pay streak located, building a fire along this pay streak and thawing it out, then locating the dirt out with a windlass and bucket.

The space is small that you have to start on, but after you work around awhile you make a larger circle, 30 or 40 feet across, which you work around. You fire it every night and then hoist the dirt out. The wood is split up—very fine spruce wood—and is laid around close up to the gravel along the pay streak. Then it is fired in three or four different places. Gravel beats through very quickly. With one fire you can loosen up and hoist as high as 125 buckets of earth, about 125 pounds to the bucket.

Six Pans in a Bucket.

A bucket usually holds six pans of dirt, 20 pounds to the pan. This is hoisted out with the windlass. It is piled up around the shaft on the dump. A man has to keep raising his shaft. He will build his shaft first about four feet above the surface and raise the dirt until it is level with that.

Then he will add more to his curbing, and so on until the shaft is sometimes 30 or 40 feet in depth. The stuff that is dumped is left until spring opens and there is running water in the creek.

Then he sets up his boxes and sluices to wash out the gold. The operation of sluicing out a ton of this takes about 20 minutes, just as rapidly as four or five men can shovel it in, all in a clatter. That is washed through the sluices. The boxes have ripples made out of 2 by 3 inch slabs laid about half an inch apart, leaving a crack between for the gold to settle into. The rock, gravel and other waste goes away.

The refuse goes down the creek and is left to take care of itself. Gold and the black sand remain. Black sand is usually rich in gold, rusty gold. We usually strike the pay streak near the bedrock, and it varies in thickness, being sometimes 6 or 8 feet wide.

There is no gold in the beds of muck and vegetation on top. You strike the pay streak when you strike the gravel, and the gravel is the last—one to eight feet above the bedrock. The gravel runs down in the crevices of the bedrock sometimes.

This gold sinks down to bedrock level from disintegrated quartz veins, stringers, deposits, lodes, veins, etc., all local, and found in nuggets varying from 1 cent up to \$680. They call nuggets dust.

Gold in All the Streams.

All of these tributary streams of the Yukon and Klondike contain gold, although not in paying quantities in some. Have there been any conspicuous failures to find gold in these streams? Yes. There are a whole lot. Ten Mile creek, a tributary of Sixty Mile creek, is a failure, although practically the same kind of a stream as the others. That is 40 miles from Dawson. You don't naturally hear so much of the failures as you do of the successes.

Boulder creek, a tributary of Sixty Mile, was also a failure; Little Gold creek, another tributary of Sixty Mile, and several others; Indian creek, a tributary of the Yukon, and Quartz creek, a tributary of Indian creek.

Dominion creek, a tributary of Indian river, is the latest rich discovery, according to reports. I see no reason why that should not be as rich relatively as the tributaries of the Yukon.

TOUGH WORK.

And No One Should Go Who Is Not Prepared For It.

Claims have been located, and they have found good prospects, but bedrock has never been reached, as mining up in that country is hard work, for the reason that everything has to be packed to the mines on your back and everything has to be worked in the crudest way—no improved machinery or anything of the kind. Your wood for thawing has to be packed on your back.

Everything connected with mining is up hill business. It is no boy's play. A young man who does not want to work harder than he ever did before in his life does not want to leave a comfortable home to go out there. Any man who has a good home here and a good occupation should not be carried away with the idea that he can pick gold off the bushes in that country.

Gold mining in Alaska and North-west Territories, aside from the natural hardships of the severe winter, is the toughest kind of work. It compels great personal sacrifices of comfort and constant attention to business. It is no child's play.

There are numerous fortunes still to be made there, but it will take capital and experience to get them out. We have no machinery to work with as yet except of the crudest sort. Machinery will probably be introduced after awhile. I shall take my own machinery in next spring. It will be the kind best adapted to that sort of mining.

That is one of the principal things I came out for—that and to get a little rest. Since I have been here my mail has steadily increased until it is impossible for me to give it proper attention.

I have a number of the most valuable mining claims in the Klondike region, all of which I secured by purchase. Before I left there I made arrangements with my partner to secure options on any new discoveries which might prove valuable.

Will Form a Company.

When I came out here, I had no intention of organizing a stock company to operate my mines, but since my arrival among my old friends and associates I find that there are so many people who desire to invest, rather than to brave the dangers and bear the expense of a trip to the Klondike region themselves, that I am about to place my mining property in a corporation of which I am president and general manager, and which I confidently believe

will prove the richest gold mining company in the world.

About the ownership of the Yukon and Klondike districts, I read in the papers that this man Arkell claims to have been the man who fitted out Lieutenant Glave, John Dalton and a whole party of Chilkat Indians—I would not say how many—that he was the man who located these mines, discovered them, in 1891.

Now, the truth of that is that Glave and his party went up the Chilkat river, across the Chilkat pass, and explored the head of the White and Alaskan rivers, which empty into Dry bay, a part of the Pacific ocean, a little south of Yakutat. They were probably 500 miles from the mouth of the Thron Diuck, where the gold diggings are, and on the west side of the Yukon river, while the Thron Diuck river is on the east of it.

I don't know what they did. They explored and ran around through that country. They had four horses—that is, three horses and a mule. There was no mining or prospecting done by that party. They were hunting for a place to locate a trading post.

Jack Dalton did locate a trading post in 1893 on the headwaters of the Alaskan river, which he is still running and which is supplied by pack animals around by way of Chilkat pass. Mr. Arkell states that Lieutenant Glave died on his way back to his rich gold mines, which he had discovered on the Thron Diuck. It is a well known fact that Lieutenant Glave died in Australia about 1893 or 1894.

No Gold in That Region.

In the region explored by the Arkell expedition no gold has ever been discovered. It is certain that this party did not penetrate the Klondike Yukon region or go anywhere near the Yukon river. The nearest point was probably Fort Selkirk, which was at a distance of about 300 miles. No expedition that went there ever reached the Klondike district or discovered the existence of gold there.

There was not a claim staked out on it until Aug. 24 of last year, and that was located by George McCormack. At the time of the discovery, in the whole of Alaska I would say there were probably 2,500 men scattered over a range of territory of 1,000 miles at least.

The ten years I was there previous to the discovery of the Bonanza and Gold Bottom diggings no great discovery had been made. At least none has ever been recorded, with the exception of those at Circle City, where a few men made from \$5,000 to \$45,000. No great fortune was ever made there.

HIGH PRICED CLAIMS.

And Small Chance For Investors in the Klondike.

I think the future of the Klondike country is bright, provided machinery is got in there and we can obtain supplies and a proper way of mining. I think it shows well for numerous fortunes to be made in there without modern machinery and skilled labor. What we need the most of anything is to get companies to take supplies there, so that we can get our machinery there and handle this property. Under the present conditions the country will not support a very large population.

Men who go in there now and think they are going to buy a claim for \$1,000 or \$2,000 or even \$5,000 or \$10,000 will be disappointed. The men who have already filed on claims fully appreciate the value of their holdings quite as much as any one who goes in for speculation can possibly do. They have better means of knowing that a claim will make them rich than the speculators have who are willing to put up one fifth of the value of the property.

There are several men of means there now who have tried to buy claims for the purpose of incorporating companies, but miners would not sell to them unless they could get their price.

I don't think that any of the companies organized to go there and invest in claims or for the purpose of exploration will make any money out of it, because the men who own the property now know they can get all the money they want to work with. The cry is that these men are speculators and want

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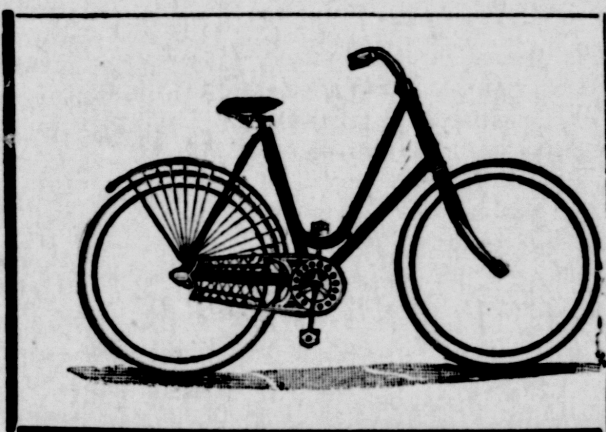
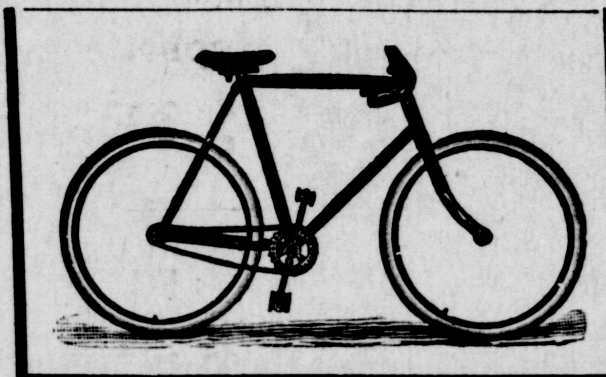
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Sprague, Warner & Co's Perfection Java and Mocha in 1 or 2 lb. cans or in bulk, 38c lb., 3 lbs. for.....	1 05

(This brand has had the greatest run of any Coffee ever introduced in town; every ounce we guarantee to give satisfaction to the most critical Coffee drinker.)



Richelieu Java and Mocha in 2-lb. air tight cans; a new article, can't be excelled... 40

Japan Tea, per lb..... 60

(This is an article we place our reputation on. It is absolutely the best Tea in the city; of this fact we are positive and will guarantee it to back up the strongest assertions on our part.)

Japan Tea, per lb..... 50

(This is the finest we can get for the money and has a delicious flavor.)

We have Teas at 30; 35 and 40c, and a complete line of India Teas, such as Monsoon, Star of India, and Lipton's.

Of B'ack, Gunpowder and Young Hyson Teas we have a very complete stock.

The store of the people.

C. A. SANBORN & CO.

The Grocerymen.

For full information regarding steam launch Idlewild or Idlewild Park enquire of W. H. Merritt, J. W. Hodgdon or C. A. Sanborn.



Each Day Finds Us Better Acquainted

With the buyers of Janesville and Rock County. We find it an easy matter to make friends as each purchaser is loud in praise of the new store, and his friends become our friends. Our object at all times is to satisfy people, make them feel at home, and, above all, to deal with them fairly. That is what brings them back again.

Competitors Knocked In the Shade

By our prices. No stock in the city so complete. Our new goods are coming by the carload every day

Sunshine Stoves And Ranges . . .

Made by one of the largest and oldest factories in the country, and, safe to say, the best Stoves in the market. A written guarantee with every Stove signed by the members of this manufacturing concern. Any defect, any fault, any trouble—return the stove and get your money back. A carload of them all set up.

Eureka Elastic Ready Mixed Paints

Gallon cans, half gallons, quarts and pints. Floor paints, Buggy Paints, Kalsomine—all tints, permanent Bicycle Enamel. Hundreds of articles for everybody's daily use. We save the purchaser money. We show the largest assortment. To see is to believe.

THE JANEVILLE LEADER.

Last of the Waists...

A final clearing of the balance of the stock of Shirt Waists of which we have sold such great quantities at 39c and 59c. There are only about 20 dozen left in the store and this sale will see the end of them.

Wednesday, Aug. 25.

For this one day the entire line will be on sale to close at one price for a choice....

29 cents.

All have detachable collars, many have cuffs as well. All are this season's manufacture and this sale will be a fitting climax to a great season of Shirt Waist selling.



A Great Parasol Sale.

Wednesday, August 25th.

Choice of about a hundred of the nobbiest Parasols of the season—Parasols which would regularly sell at \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50,—every one of them new this season. A great opportunity to buy a Parasol at a next to nothing price. All on sale for this day at a choice

\$1.00

Sample Umbrellas.

A New York maker's sample line of Umbrellas in all the colors—as reds, browns, blues, greens and the staple blacks. The line includes about 300 numbers and no two of them are alike. All the nobby natural wood crooks and dresden knobs. There is also a splendid line of Gents' Umbrellas which will be on sale at the same sample prices.

Shirt Waists, Parasols, Umbrellas--Wednesday, Aug. 25.

ARCHIE REID & CO.

We Bought the GLOBE SHOE STOCK

--AT--

50C ON THE DOLLAR

To close out, and are going to close it out.

Never Mind What Others Say.

We Know Our Own Business. : : : :

500 Ladies' and Gents' New Goods go at

\$3.00

350 Ladies' and Gents' New Goods go at

2.50

And so on.

OLD GOODS AT YOUR OWN PRICE.

O. D. LINCOLN & CO.

Shoe Men.

On the Bridge.

Don't miss our bargain tables.